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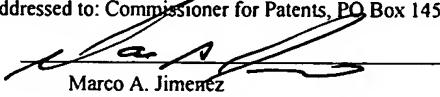
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In the application of:

Takayuki TOSHIMA et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS OF  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2003, for which a response is due on August 5, 2003.

Please amend the application as follows: